

Safety is Our Goal...What's Yours

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Unsafe acts accidentally lead to deaths - and many of these occur at work. The lives of the military and civilian workforce are affected when someone commits an unsafe act. Kirk Fechter, ISO Safety Manager, with staff assistance, is conducting a Lean Six Sigma (LSS) Project on Safety Inspections. The program is geared to promote year-round awareness of the top ten most hazardous conditions in the workplace and the status of the top ten most frequent hazards found in the work place.

FGGM's Top 10 Inspection Deficiencies:

1. Cover Plate Missing on Electrical Outlet
2. Opening in Electrical Boxes
3. Damaged Electrical Outlet
4. Extension Cords - Daisy Chaining and Substituting
5. Damaged Electrical Cords
6. 36" Clearance in front of Electrical Panel
7. Emergency Lighting and Exit Signs
8. Failure to Label Container
9. Slip, Trip and Fall Hazards
10. House Keeping Issues

Mr. Fechter briefed on the Top 10 Unsafe Acts at the Town Hall Meeting held in December 2009. When it comes to being and staying safe, he emphasized for everyone to "be a student throughout the year". Regardless of how small or the act, the lives of both military and civilian are affected when someone commits an unsafe act.

FGGM's Top 10 Unsafe Acts:

1. Motorcycle/Bicycle: No PPE or Improper PPE
2. Slip, Trip, Fall: Inattention to Hazards
3. Slip, Trip, Fall: Improper Footwear
4. Lifting: Over Exertion
5. Slips: Not Adjusting to Icy Conditions
6. Pedestrian: Jay walking or inattention to traffic
7. High Noise: No Hearing protection when required
8. Traffic: Speeding upon entry on post

- 9. Medical:
- 10. Outdoors:

Needle Sticks

Insect Bites, no allergy kit available on person